atter of no small gratification that the Hon'ble ster and the Hon'ble Ministers of Finance, ome and Local Self-Government were pleased he show. Among the other distinguished visitors ed the Show, mention may be made of Sir ngh, Vice-Chairman of the Indian Council of ural Research, the Mayor of Bangalore and several ished officials and non-officials.

lighness the Maharaja of Mysore was graciously to visit the Amritmahal Cattle of the State in the Kaval of Holalkere Taluk on 10th August 1951 His Highness' tour in Chitaldrug District.

Highness the Rajpramukh was also graciously o declare open, the imposing building of the Rural ry Dispensary at Nagavalli in Tumkur Taluk on gust 1951 during His Highness' tour in Tumkur The building is donated by Sri Kempahonniah of

two Artificial Insemination Centres in Bangalore d Mysore, 143 cows were artificially bred during the fort-ght under report.

(P. N. No. 161—4-10-1951).

Press Note.

Food offences for the fortnight ended 15th September 1951.

I BANGALORE CORPORATION AREA.

For hoarding of rationed foodgrains, two persons of Bangalore City were convicted and sentenced to Simple imprisonment till the rising of the Court with fine of Rs. 20 each.

For unauthorised transport of rationed foodgrains, one person was convicted and sentenced to Simple imprisonment till the rising of the Court and to pay a fine of Rs. 25.

For having run unauthorised catering establishments, six persons were convicted and sentenced to Simple imprisonment till the rising of the Court and to pay fines ranging from Rs. 20 to Rs. 100.

Two foodgrains licensees, one of IX Division and the other of I Division, Bangalore City were both administered warning for certain irregularities, the former having further been levied with penal rate for $7\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. of sugar found short.

For having incurred a heavy shortage of $66\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. in sugar, a licensee in II Division, Civil Area, was fined Rs. 25 with levy of penal rate for the shortages.

For non-replenishment of stocks in time, a licensee of II Division, Civil Area, was fined Rs. 25.

Two licensed fuel dealers of II and V Divisions respectively of Civil Area were fined Rs. 25 each, for short weighments and other irregularities in the issue of fuel.

The quotas of flour and sugar to a Bakery in Bangalore City were suspended from 8th September 1951 pending final orders, for selling bread at a rate higher by 5 annas than the notified one.

II MYSORE CITY AREA.

Two persons for transporting 60 seers of paddy, and one person, 17 seers of rice, were convicted and sentenced to Simple imprisonment till the rising of the Court with fines of Rs. 125, Rs. 75 and Rs. 20 respectively.

One person for catering 'Kushka' prepared out of rationed articles, and two for running hotels without licences, were convicted and sentenced to Simple imprisonment till the rising of the Court, with fine of Rs. 80 each, in default to undergo Simple imprisonment for one month.

Two licensees and one Society were fined Rs. 25 each for having allowed cheques to be dishonoured for want of sufficient funds at credit in the Bank.

(P.N. No. 162—4-10-1951).

Press Note.

Due to continuous failure of rains for about two months in the middle of the cultivating season this year, dry crops all over the State have suffered seriously and in several parts the standing crops have withered completely. Even the recent rains may not resuscitate them.

2. With a view to relieving the distress caused in the rural areas on account of failure of crops, Government have, in modification of their Press Note No. 2631-40 dated 6th July 1951, ordered that the relaxation of control over movement of food grains permitted under the above Press Note, may be extended to inter-district movements as well. In effect, landless persons and partial holders, *e.g.*, persons who have grown foodgrains not sufficient to last till the next harvest, as per basic scale of rations, are permitted to transport without permits, rationed food grains as a temporary measure up to thirty (30) seers by means of headloads only for *bona fide* consumption from one non-rationed area within a District to not only another non-rationed area in the same district but also to any non-rationed area in any other District.

(P.N. No. 163—4-10-1951).

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Principal Information Officer.

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FOREST DEPARTMENT

KOLAR FOREST DIVISION.

Brief Notification dated 4th October 1951.

RE-SALE OF CASUARINA TREES.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove the Casuarina Trees yielding poles and firewood in the following plantations as per details in the Schedule noted below, will be resold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Kolar, or by any other officer deputed by him on Thursday the 1st November 1951, at 2 P.M. in the District Forest Office, Kolar. The sale is subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

The sale will be held on acre basis and a number of 3,380 trees yielding poles whose approximate heights and girths are 20 feet and 8 inches respectively available in the said plantations exclusive of the fuel yielding trees have been duly marked.

Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, produce a solvency certificate in the prescribed form with an earnest deposit of Rs. 200 with the sale Conducting Officer before the sale is commenced.

Immediately after the sale is closed the highest bidder should pay one-fourth of the sale amount with the usual cesses and the sales-tax on the full sale amount in cases of contractors producing the required solvency certificate and the full sale amount together with cesses and sales-tax in the cases of contractors without solvency certificates.

The trees purchased should be removed within three months from the date of execution of the agreement which the purchaser has to execute within seven days from the date of intimation of the confirmation order on payment of the full balance sale amount.

For further conditions and other particulars, please see page 1218, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 5th June 1941 or ascertain from the District Forest Officer, Kolar, or the Range Forest Officer concerned.

SCHEDULE.

1	Srinivaspur Range.	Alamgeri Forest.	About 5 acres of 1937 Do 35 do of 1938 Do 50 do of 1939
		Total	... 90 acres

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Resale Notification dated 6th October 1951.

Sale of Thangadi and Kakke Bark lease for 1950-52.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Thangadi and Kakke barks in all State Forests, Village Forests, Reserve Lands and other Government unoccupied lands from the date of confirmation to 30th June 1952 in Malur Taluk will be resold at the risk of the original purchaser who has failed to remit the last khist due by 1st July 1951 in the District Forest Office, Kolar by the District Forest Officer, Kolar or any other officer deputed by him on Thursday the 1st November 1951 at 2 P.M. This resale is subject to confirmation by the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore.

For further particulars please ascertain the same from District Forest Officer, Kolar.

4441 N. SESHA MURTHY, *D.F.O.*